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**Andrew W. Bogue**

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1919  
Education: South Dakota State 1941 BS; South Dakota 1947 LLB  
Began Service: May 1, 1970  
Appointed By: President Richard M. Nixon

**Government:** State's Attorney, Turner County, State of South Dakota (1952-1954)

**Judicial:** Judge, South Dakota Circuit Court, Second Judicial Circuit (1967-1970)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Bogue & Bogue (1947-1957); Partner, Bogue & Zimmer (1954-1957); Private Practice (1957-1959); Partner, Bogue & Rudolph (1959-1967)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1943-1946); United States Army (1950-1952)

**Current Memberships:** Federal Judges Association; Pennington County Bar Association; State Bar of South Dakota

**Staff**

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**John B. Jones**

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1927  
Education: South Dakota 1951 BS, 1953 LLB  
Began Service: December 5, 1981  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Government:** State Representative (R-SD), South Dakota House of Representatives (1956-1960)

**Judicial:** Judge, Lyman County Court (1953-1956); Judge, South Dakota Circuit Court, 10th Circuit (1967-1974); Judge, South Dakota Circuit Court, Sixth Circuit (1974-1981)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1953-1962); Partner, Jones & McKeever (1962-1966)

**Military Service:** United States Naval Reserve (1945-1947)

**Current Memberships:** American Judicature Society; Federal Judges Association; State Bar of South Dakota

**Chambers of Senior Judge Richard Howard Battey**

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**Richard Howard Battey**

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1929  
Education: South Dakota 1953 JD  
Began Service: 1985  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Academic:** Regent, South Dakota Board of Regents, South Dakota State University (1967-1973); Adjunct Professor, The University of South Dakota (1973-1975)

**Government:** City Attorney, Office of the City Attorney, City of Redfield, South Dakota (1955-1963); State's Attorney, Office of the State's Attorney, County of Spink, South Dakota (1959-1965); Member, Board of Pardons and Paroles, State of South Dakota (1976-1981); Commissioner, Bar Commissioners, State Bar of South Dakota (1979-1982); State's Attorney, Office of the State's Attorney, County of Spink, South Dakota (1981-1985)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1953-1985)

**Military Service:** National Guard (1948-1960); United States Army (1953-1955)

**Staff**

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**John Simko**

Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1939  
Education: Augustana (SD) 1961 BA; South Dakota 1968 JD  
Began Service: September 1, 2000

**Legal Practice:** Woods Law Firm

**Military Service:** South Dakota Air National Guard

**Staff**

Attorney **Lori Fossen** ..... (605) 330-4389  
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**United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of South Dakota**

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**Irvin N. Hoyt**

Bankruptcy Judge (recalled)

Date of Birth: 1941  
Education: South Dakota 1963 BS, 1965 JD  
Began Service: October 2, 1987  
Term Expires: August 2009

**Government:** State's Attorney, Beadle County, South Dakota (1972-1974)

**Judicial:** Judge, South Dakota Circuit Court (1975-1987); Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of South Dakota (1987-2006)

**Legal Practice:** Churchill, Manolis & Hoyt, Attorneys at Law (1965-1970); Hoyt & Hoyt, Attorneys at Law (1970-1975)

**Staff**

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**Charles L. Nail, Jr.**

Bankruptcy Judge

Education: South Dakota BS; Minnesota 1982 JD  
Began Service: 2006  
Term Expires: 2020

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Career Law Clerk **Kay Cee Hodson** ..... (605) 945-4490  
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**Number of Vacancies:** 0

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